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TAGS: MARR, JA

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST CHARGES ON DUMMY NUCLEAR BOMBINGS

SUMMARY: JCP REVIVES ITS EARLIER CHARGES AGAINST USAF DUMMY

NUCLEAR BOMBINGS AT IE SHIMA. END SUMMARY

1. ALTHOUGH FOR THE MOMENT ECLIPSED IN THE SHADOW OF THE B-52

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ARRIVALS (ON TYPHOON REFUGE), THE JCP IS AGAIN PRESSING THE ISSUE OF
AIR FORCE DUMMY NUCLEAR BOMBING AT THE PRACTICE RANGE ON IE SHIMA
ISLAND. ALONG WITH RAISING THE ISSUE IN THE DIET NOV 17, THE JCP
SENT AN "INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE" TO IE SHIMA. THE MAIN
ACCUSATION IN THE PRESS NOV 18 WAS THAT PRACTICE TOOK PLACE ON
NOV 16, DESPITE THE FACT THAT SUNDAY IS NORMALLY A DAY OF REST AND
EVEN THOUGH FARMERS WERE STILL CUTTING GRASS ON THE RANGE. THE
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COMMUNISTS ALSO MAINTAINED THAT KADENA AIR BASE HAS ADMITTED THE

PRACTICE AND THAT ISLANDERS WITNESSED BDV8B MODEL DUMMY NUCLEAR BOMBS BEING DROPPED FROM NOV 14 TO NOV 16. THE JCP ALLEGES THIS WAS THE THIRD TIME THIS PRACTICE BOMBING HAS TAKEN PLACE, THE EARLIER TIMES BEING JULY AND SEPT LAST YEAR.

2. COMMENT: WHILE THIS ISSUE DOES NOT SEEM TO BE CAUSING ANY EXCITEMENT IN OKINAWA, THE COMMUNISTS ARE KEEPING IT ALIVE.

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